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RECenter Hosts D.C. Area's Only Arthritis Water Walk

May is National Arthritis Month and people across the nation will be participating in the Arthritis Foundation's Arthritis Walk to raise awareness and money to fight the nation's number one cause of disability, arthritis.

The Fairfax County Park Authority is partnering with the Arthritis Foundation to host the area's only Water Walk, a unique twist on the national event, where participants will walk in the shallow end of Mount Vernon RECenter's pool in Alexandria. Walks will take place throughout the day on May 18, 2007. Participants are encouraged walk in honor of a friend or family member with arthritis. There is no registration fee; however, donations are welcome.

To join the Arthritis Water Walk "Water Warriors" team, please contact Trina Taylor at Mount Vernon RECenter at 703-768-3224 or by email at trina.taylor@fairfaxcounty.gov.

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